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7 July 1944

MEMORANDUM FOR: Col. L. E. Vining,
Transportation Sub-Commission,
Main Hq. ACC
APO 394.

The attached list contains information relative to the movement of the Italian government to Rome. It shows the place of departure, number of persons to be moved by train, and the baggage weight in quintals for each ministry or department.

F. J. SLAUGHTER
Captain, AGD
Deputy Secretary General.

MINISTERO	Luogo di Partenza	Persone da Traportare in Train	Materiali in Quintali
Pres. Consiglio - Seg. e uff. coll.	Salerno	115	150
Esteri	"	70	173
Interni	"	166	252
Grazia e Giustizia	"	106	102
Istruzione	"	69	55
Agricoltura e Foreste	"	47	135
Comunicaz. Gab. e Sott. PP. TT.	"	212	340
Lavori Pubb,	"	57	100
Finanze	"	212	195
Industria	Vietri	72	75
Comm. Profughi	"	37	21
Comm. Prigion.	Cava	37	90
2a. Compagnia	Salerno	650	380
		1850	2068
Guerra	Lecce	960	916
Aviazione	Bari	1650	2078
Marina	Taranto	875	800
Marina merc.	Napoli	200	200
Sott. Ferrovie	"	97	140
		297	340

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Transportation Sub-Commission
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Our Reference : ACC Tn/64/1

Date : 7 July '44

TO : Brigadier R.W.L. Fellowes,
D.Q.M.G. (Movements)
H.Q., AAI.

SUBJECT : Move of Italian Government to Rome.

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4. Even if a few coaching vehicles could be got through in the days mentioned it would be appreciated.

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Previous day

L.E. VINING,
Lieut-Colonel,
Director, Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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12 June 1944

SUBJECT: Move of Italian Government to Rome

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission, Hq. ACC,
(Attention Lt. Col. Vining)

1. Attached is preliminary information relative to move of Italian government, which may be helpful in planning.

2. Just as soon as I obtain more detailed information from the government and information as to time of move, I will at once inform you.

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13 JUN 1944
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L. D. Densmore

L. D. DENSMORE,
Colonel, S. C.
Ex. O, Rear Hq.

1 Incl - Memo dtd 12 Jan 44.

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Economic Section, Main Hq., (Info)
R.C. & M. G. Section, Main Hq. (Info)

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12 June 1944

MEMORANDUM:

The following information relative to the requirements in connection with move of personnel of the Italian national government from Salerno, Cava, etc, to Rome shows break down by departments or ministries, order of priority of move by departments or ministries, numbers of persons, weight of baggage and equipment in quintals, and volume in cubic meters.

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1.	Secretary and Presidency of the Council of Ministers	100	30	
2.	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	70	173	89
3.	Ministry of Interior	170	252	89
4.	Ministry of Communication	220	300	90
5.	Ministry of Finance	220	195	65
6.	Ministry of Justice	110	102	95
7.	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	50	135	90
8.	Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor	75	72	40
9.	Ministry of Public Works	60	100	80
10.	Ministry of Education	72	55	15
11.	a. Ministry of Navy	900	800	450
	b. Ministry of War	1000	916	502
	c. Ministry of Air Forces	1700	2078	447*
12.	Reparto Autonomo Ministeriale	650		
13.	Departments:			
	Refugees	40	21	9
	Prisoners of War	40	90	50
	Total	5477		

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(*) Bari 200 - Cava dei Tirreni 20 - Pontecagnano 50.

This is for planning purposes and will be supplemented from time to time as more accurate and detailed information is available.

The information has been furnished by General Accame (Italian), who is in charge of move arrangement for the Italian government.

L. D. DENSMORE,
Colonel, S. C.
Ex. O, Rear Hq.

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Col Dennemore picked up.

(1) He said that some of the Italian units would proceed Rome in their own private cars

(2) It is wished that as many of the Italian Staff Officers be conveyed Naples - Rome by train as was possible - on 12-13-14 So as to be in Rome by 15.

(3) Remainder of Italian units Officials & Interpreters to proceed Rome by the coastal route as the line is opened on 15.

(4) Major ? Slaughter to be informed that can be done in the way of Rail Movements after Major Richardson has seen Boris Fellows.

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Even if a few coaching vehicles could be had - on the Naples Rome trains Sleeping cars during

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worked proceed [illegible]

(2) It is wished that as many of the Italian Light Officials be conveyed Naples - Rome by train as was possible - on 12-13-14 So as to be in Rome by 15.

(3) Remainder of Italian units Officials & ~~Servants~~ Followers to proceed Rome by the Coastal route after the line is opened on 15.

(4) Main? Slaughter to be inflicted What- Can be done in the way of Raid Movements after Night Reductions has seen Boats Tellows.

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Even if a few coaches, vehicles could be put - on the Naple Rome trains for the Italian Officials every day 12-13-14. it would be much appreciated

A.V.A.

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Move of (1) ACC to Rome
(2) Italian Government Salerno-Rome

Memo conversation with Brig. Gen. Carl. Gray DGMRS.

In respect of (1) this is completely impossible

Note: Advise HQ. Commandant of "Sicily", who have coaches available for personnel Naples-Rome

(11) Brig General Gray is of the opinion that the rail net-
work will be able to offer any prospects of rail movement Salerno - Rome before
July 15 at earliest

After that date, however, he anticipates the West coast
route Naples-Rome via Campoleone will be available, and could
manage movement by daily trains. There is, however, a restriction
on the line Campoleone-Rome, with a limit of 1,500 tons. Brig Gen
Gray would be prepared to pass this for two or three days if agreed.

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~~Capt~~ B.

Rome:

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COMITATO CITTADINO DI SOLIDARIETA' UMANA

Conversation with Capt Slaughter Salerno

Immediate Priority to 1850 persons, representing Chief of
Government + Ministries + 2,068 lbs of baggage
If we had to split + tell him the priority of numbers he
can arrange :

Subsequent requests, in post by 2-0pm cannot include figures upon which for movement from such places as Naples, Bari, Taranto

Lecce, Taranto

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Subject: Movement Italian Government Personnel - Salerno to Rome

Memo for Lt Col Kinnard:-

1. Following Col. Newmore's visit, on 7-6, went to H.R.S. Had talk with Capt. Hayes, P.A. to Gen. Gray, who felt General himself would like to discuss - and set up meeting with Latta for 10 June.

2. Met Gen. Gray at 1110 hours 10-6. He stated he was glad I had come in as he realized more would be in offing. Stated his desire to see better movement given than on Brindisi - Salerno move.

3. Recited highlights of data given by Col Newmore; General Gray said with no more than outlined there could be good equipment and a prestige making movement.

4. Gen. Gray stated could handle party "all sail" by 15 July and thought that possibly Col. Newmore could hold off until then.

5. If necessary to move before, could handle from Augie to Rome about 5 July - if LST's or other ships can handle Salerno-Augie. Also, by same time from Civitavecchio to Rome, of

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delivered to Gint — by mate.
6. Rail would seem most desirable.
7. If denied, I can make known
with Col Hearmon personally and give him
above. (Gen Gray does not want dates
above handled about)

Byron.
Lieut. Colonel.

10-6-44-12^10 p.m.

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Meeting Col. Densmore, Executive Officer, A.C.C. Rear Hq., with Lt Cols. L.L. Young & C.G. Brown, in office of Tn. Sfc A.C.C. 14 15 hrs. 9 June 1942.

1. Col. Newsome stated his purpose was to begin plans for movement of Italian personnel from Salerno to Rome. Estimated date 3 weeks. Hrs, timeing, subject to many factors but will be determined as soon as possible.
2. Reports indicate furniture in offices in Rome intact so more will be of persons, files & office equipment such as typewriters. This will reduce lists
3. Col. D. furnished list of approximate number of bodies to move.
4. Advised one officer, a General, had been designated, to clear all matters, by Italian Govt. No attention to be paid to requests other than from Gen. Accame.
5. Col. Young designated Col Brown to develop details, and after incidental discussion meeting adjourned at 16 15 hrs. Col. Newsome to see Brig Cusk & get addl. information.

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PRIORITY IN WHICH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT WILL MOVE:

1 - Marshal Badoglio, Secretary and Presidency of the Council of Ministers plus Liaison Office of the Navy, Air and War	100
2 - Minister of Foreign Affairs	70
3 - Ministry of the Interior	170
4 - Communications	220
5 - Ministry of Finance	200
6 - Ministry of Justice	110
7 - Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	50
8 - Industry, Commerce and Labor	75
9 - Public Works	60
10 - Education	75
11 - Navy: 400 officers, 500 troops	900
War: 300 officers, 700 troops	1000
Air:	800
12 - Reparto Autonomo Ministeriale - 5 officers, 600 troops	605

ETM - 23 to 30 June

Densmore Fatima #3

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ORDER OF PRIORITY IN WHICH ACC WILL MOVE AS ISSUED BY BRIG. LUSH THROUGH COL. ROBINSON:

1 - Chief Commissioner and Staff

2 - Regional Control & Military Government Section, plus Public Safety, Public Health and Telecommunications

3 - Economics

4 - Administrative Section less two Sub-Commissions

5 - Rear party

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